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BOARD OF ELECTIONS TO BEGIN ABSENTEE AND PROVISIONAL BALLOT CANVASSES

The Frederick County Board of Elections, sitting as the Board of Canvassers for Frederick County, will begin the process of opening, reviewing, and/or counting absentee ballots cast in the November 4, 2014, Gubernatorial General Election at 10 a.m. on Thursday, November 6.

This process will take place in the Board of Elections Training Room, located in The Bourne Building, 355 Montevue Lane, Suite 101, Frederick, Md.

It is anticipated that the processing and counting of these absentee ballots will be completed on November 6. If continuation of the process is necessary, the Board of Canvassers will announce its schedule at the end of the day, and, if necessary, at the end of each subsequent day.

A canvass of provisional ballots will begin at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, November 12. This process will also take place in the Board of Elections Training Room.

It is anticipated that the processing and counting of these ballots will be completed on November 12. If continuation of the process is necessary, the Board of Canvassers will announce its schedule at the end of the day, and, if necessary, at the end of each subsequent day.

The second canvass of timely absentee ballots will begin at 10 a.m. on Friday, November 14. This process will also take place in the Board of Elections Training Room. It is anticipated that the processing and counting of these ballots will be completed on this date.

The public and media are allowed to observe the processing of ballots, but may not interrupt elections officials during the proceedings.

For more information, contact Elections Director Stuart Harvey via e-mail at sharvey@FrederickCountyMD.gov. Citizens may visit www.FrederickCountyMD.gov/elections for further information on elections issues or call 301-600-VOTE (8683).